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In re application of

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Application No. To be assigned

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For: SYSTEM FOR  
MANAGEMENT OF  
TRANSACTIONS ON  
NETWORKS (Amended to:  
MANAGING TRANSACTIONS  
ON A NETWORK: FOUR OR  
MORE PARTIES)

Art Unit: NA

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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Sir:

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Consideration of the cited documents and making the same of record in the prosecution of the above-identified application are respectfully requested.

Special Note:

The following listed references were apparently considered to be of particular relevance to the subject matter of the claims of the parent patent application.

Teper et al.	US	5,815,665
Reeder	US	5,852,812
Reuhl et al.	US	5,873,069

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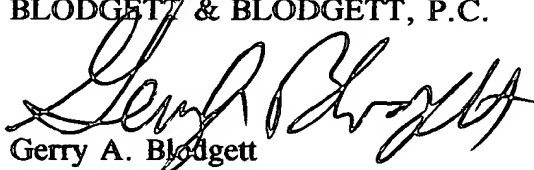
This application relies, under 35 USC 120, on the earlier filing date of prior application Application No. 09/036,236, filed on 6 March 1998. The cited references were submitted to, and/or cited by the office in the prior application(s) and, therefore, are not required to be provided in this application. However, should the Examiner be unable to locate any reference and need a courtesy copy, he is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned and a courtesy copy will be provided.

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